

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT TACOMA

ROBERT LOUIS WALTER,

Plaintiff,

v.

NEW WORLD MEDICAL INC.,

Defendant.

CASE NO. 3:24-cv-05844-DGE


ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE WHY
THIS CASE SHOULD NOT BE
DISMISSED

Plaintiff, proceeding *pro se*, initiated this case in the Pierce County Superior Court, and it was removed to this Court on the basis of diversity jurisdiction. (Dkt. No. 1 at 1–2.) Plaintiff alleges he was injured by a defective glaucoma valve resulting in total loss of vision in his left eye. (*Id.* at 7.) Defendant filed a Motion to Dismiss on October 9, 2024, arguing that it is not subject to this Court’s personal jurisdiction, and that Plaintiff has failed to state a claim. (Dkt. No. 9.) Plaintiff has not made an appearance in this Court and has failed to timely respond to the Motion to Dismiss. *See* LCR 7(d)(4) (setting 28-day timeline for motions to dismiss).

1 Plaintiff is ORDERED to Show Cause why this case should not be dismissed, either for
2 failure to prosecute or for failure to respond to Defendant's Motion to Dismiss. Plaintiff must
3 file his response to the Motion to Dismiss no later than Friday, December 20, 2024, or the Court
4 will dismiss the case without prejudice.

5 The Clerk is directed to mail a copy of this order, Defendant's Motion to Dismiss (Dkt.
6 No. 9), and Defendant's Notice of Removal (Dkt. No. 1) to Plaintiff's last known address.

7 Dated this 19th day of November, 2024.

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11 United States District Judge
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